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Poet's Corner.



EPITHALAMIUM.

BY J. G. BRAINARD.

I saw two clouds at morning
Tinged with the rising sun,
And in the dawn they floated on
And mingled into one.

I thought the morning cloud was blest,
It moved so sweetly to the west,
I saw two summer currents
Flow softly to their meeting,
And join their course in silent force,
In peace each other greeting:

Such be your gentle motion
Till life's last pulse shall beat
Like summer's beam, and summer's stream,
Flow on in joy to meet
A purer sky, where troubles cease,
A calmer sea where all is peace.

Select Tales.

LYDIA LITTLE'S LOVERS,

OR, THE FATE OF A FLIRT.

One of the prettiest lasses that ever
graced a country dance, or turned the
head of a lover, was Lydia Little, the sub-
ject of the following sketch.

Nobody could deny it, she was very
pretty. Even her rivals allowed she was
fascinating, and her enemies declared, that
after all she was a beauty.

Although Lydia was really handsome,
it was an unfortunate circumstance that
she was conscious of the fact. It is no in-
jury to a pretty girl if she doesn't know
it; but Lydia had quite as perfect a knowl-
edge of her charms as even her warmest
admirers; the consequence was, she be-
came one of the most vain, shrewd, and
heartless coquettes that ever made a bon-
fire of true hearts to laugh at the flames.

Lydia had admirers far and near, for
her beauty was famous in all the villages
within twenty miles of the town in which
her father, a rich old farmer, resided.

Although Lydia smiled on all, there
were only two who were known to possess
very great importance in her eyes, and who
seemed to cast all other lovers in the
shade.

One of these young men was named
Brown and the other White. These, it
was said, were Lydia's favorite colors, and
it only remained for her to choose between
them. Indeed, it was rather a matter of
debate in the village, whether it would be
better for her to become a little Brown or
a little White.

Messrs. White and Brown both lived at
a distance from their mistress, but White
had the advantage of his rival, for he lived
the nearest. These two gentlemen
had heard of each other although they
had not the pleasure of a personal ac-
quaintance. White was afraid of Brown,
and Brown was afraid of White; so that
Lydia, out of pure kindness was very
careful that they should never meet at her
house.

If the rivals feared each other, they feared
Lydia's father more. He had tried to
put a stop to their innocent flirtations, and
repeatedly threatened to shoot her suitors
if they didn't keep aloof. Besides, his
name was Little, and he was a little fierce,
and the beaux were not a little afraid of
his resentment.

One day when Lydia's father was gone
from home and was not expected back till
late at night, she determined to send for
one of her suitors to come and keep her
company during the evening. But which
should she choose? Here was a dilemma
indeed. She reflected that Brown was her
last, and feeling that it would be un-
just not to allow White to come in his
turn, she resolved that White should be
the man. So she dropped a line to White
and had everything prepared for his re-
ception in the evening.

Lydia felt so confident that her dear
White would fly to meet her that she
would have been willing to stake her life,
that he would be there exactly at the ap-
pointed hour. White was very punctual
and she felt that he loved her too well to
allow anything whatever to delay an in-
terview. However, as the time passed,
and he did not arrive at the moment, she
began to change her mind, and to wonder
how she had ever allowed White to oc-
cupy her heart with such a noble fellow as
Brown.

"Brown wouldn't have failed—he
would not I know—"

Such thoughts were running in her
mind, when there was a rap at the door.
She knew White was there, and forgetting
her resentment flew to admit him, what
was her surprise to find that it was not
White but Brown.

"Don't be surprised," panted the de-
lighted lover. "I shouldn't have dared
to come—afraid of the old man; but I saw
him—middle of the afternoon—he told
me—I'm so out of breath I can hardly
speak—he was not coming home till
midnight."

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"So you took an opportunity of visiting
me during his absence, eh?"
Lydia smiled upon him at first, but
then she looked thoughtful, and finally ap-
peared quite perplexed. She was con-
sidering what a fix she would be in if
White should happen to be coming along at
the same time.

"You mustn't stop," said she nervous-
ly. "Father will be home, I expect him
home every minute, and if he should find
you—"

"Phaw! there's no danger!" said Brown.
"He won't come home yet awhile, and if
he comes, I can slip into the kitchen and
get out at the back door."

Finding she could not send her lover
away, she resolved to make the most of
him while he stopped.

"O," said Brown, "I've a rich joke to
tell you."

"Do let me hear it."

"As I was coming this way to-night,
who do you think I met?"

"Who?"

"Your particular friend—Mr. White."

"My particular friend!" sneered Lydia.

"Yes—but never mind that—I ain't
afraid of him—"

"But how did you know him?"

"O, I had caught a glimpse of him be-
fore, but he didn't know me, that's the
cream of the joke."

"How so?"

"Why you see we fell in with each other,
and as he was coming this way, we
got to talking about folks in these diggins.

Says I, old Squire Little lives down here,
somewhere, don't he? Yes, says he
grinning—for the moon shone and I
could see him grin—do you know his
daughter? I've heard of her, said I; she's
pretty they say. Well she isn't anything
else, said White; and he looked at me as
if he thought he was pulling the wool
over my eyes completely. She has plenty
of beaux I hear. Yes, said he laugh-
ing. There's a fellow by the name of
Brown trying to come in there, I suppose
you know. O, yes, says I, but he can't.

"I looked very closely at him and saw
he didn't mistrust I was Brown, and
could hardly keep from laughing right out.
Yes, says he White stands a pretty good
chance I guess.—I know White. Do you?
Says I. You introduce me some time, in
return I'll introduce you to Brown, whom
I am intimately acquainted with. Brown
is a pretty good sort of a fellow, although
he may be unfortunate in love affairs. He
is a good natured fellow, and I presume
if he were in my place and you were
White himself, he'd sooner joke with than
quarrel with you."

"I talked with the fellow in this way for
some time; and kept my countenance so
well that he'll be surprised when he learns
I'm Brown himself. Wasn't it a rich
joke Lydia?"

"Ah, very," replied the girl laughing
heartily. "But what noise is that?"

"They are footsteps—"

"Oh! its father!" exclaimed Lydia, not
a little flustered. "Quick—quick you
must be gone."

Brown did not wait for ceremony but
dodged into the kitchen in hot haste. He
would have hastened from the house in
an instant, but heard a voice which sound-
ed so strangely that he had a curiosity to
know if it was Mr. Little who had just
come.

He crept softly back to the door by
which he made his exit, dropped on his
knees and applied his ear to the key-
hole. At that moment heard a noise
which sounded so much like a hearty
kiss that it made his heart come up into
his mouth as large as a pumpkin.

He looked and O, the faithlessness and
fickleness of woman!—there was Lydia
smiling in the arms of his rival, of his
new acquaintance—White.

Brown's first impulse was to break thro'
the door and eat up his rival; but he soon
thought better of it, and determined to
give him a few minutes' reprieve before
he demolished him entirely.

"There stop," cried Lydia, "you shan't
kiss me again to-night."

"Why not?" asked White.

"Because you didn't come to see me at
the time appointed. It's all of twenty
minutes later. That's why."

"You don't imagine what a good ex-
cuse I've got," said White, laughing.

"What is it?"

"I met a chap who bothered me."

"That was me," thought Brown still
looking through the keyhole. "I did
bother him, and bluffed him off nicely too.
I wish I had wrung his neck for him."

"You can't guess who it was Lydia,"
said White laughing.

"Do you know?"

"To be sure I do—though he didn't
mistrust I knew him. It was my re-
doubtable rival, Mr. Brown."

"The—!" muttered his rival biting
his lips in perplexity.

"Did you meet that fellow?" said Lyn-
dia. "Oh, I wish you knew how much
fun I've had with him! Why the great
fool flatters himself that I am ninnny
enough to love him."

"Highly complimentary," thought
Brown, grinding his teeth and looking
harmless daggers through the keyhole.

"You'd been amused, Lydia, to have
heard me talk with him, and lay on the
soft soap! I got the wool over his eyes
nicely. He didn't know me, and I chat-

ted with him about you and myself, and
him, and it went down like a pill taken
in apple sauce."

Lydia laughed heartily to think how
the rivals had fooled each other, believ-
ing all the time that the game was all on
his own side, and White laughed too at
the thought of having played such a game
on Brown.

Brown was the only one that did not
laugh. The thought of having been made
such a fool of, didn't by any means in-
spire him into a merry mood.

"I can't stand this," thought he scowl-
ing at the key hole. "I must have my
turn now.—White may take my place in
the dark if he likes and I'll step into the
sitting room."

He stole cautiously out of the back door
and proceeded around the house.

A moment after, Lydia and her dear
White, who were having a fine time of it,
heard the sound of footsteps approaching
towards the door.

"It's father!" said Lydia, believing
the old gentleman had really come. You
mustn't be seen. Run in here and get
out of the house as soon as possible!"

She pushed White into the kitchen and
hastened to the front door.

Having made up her mouth to give her
dear father a sweet kiss as soon as he en-
tered, she stood ready to throw her arms
around his neck—when to her astonish-
ment, who should appear but Brown.

I need scarcely inform the reader that
White impelled by the same laudable cu-
riosity which led Brown to make the dis-
covery we have seen already had his eye
to the key hole.

"What, you again!" said Lydia, bestow-
ing upon Brown the kiss reserved for her
venerable parent. "How glad I am you
come back!—but it was rash in you—"

"Love makes the heart bold," said
Brown, giving Lydia an extra hug for the
express benefit of White, who he suspect-
ed was at the key hole. "I began to
think the old man hadn't come after all,
so I came back to bid you good bye more
deliberately."

"Ah! you are a good fellow," said Lydia
"but I can't let you stay now, I really
expect father every minute."

"Well, I'll go pretty soon, but I must
finish telling you how I bluffed off your
dear friend White—"

"My dear friend!" echoed Lydia con-
temptuously. "I wish you knew how I de-
test that fellow—"

"I thought so, and for that reason when
I had the talk with him on the road, as I
was telling you, out of consideration for
your feelings, I determined he shouldn't
visit you to-night, so I followed him un-
til he didn't come any farther for fear I
would mistrust he was coming to see you.
Didn't I bluff him off, and wouldn't I
laugh to see him enter now."

"What a fool I have been making of
myself," thought White glaring through
the key hole. "Brown is the man Lydia
loves after all; and instead of fooling him
so completely as I thought I was doing,
when we met, he was all the time play-
ing a trick on me! I'll rush in and de-
molish him, and tell that laughing, saucy
jake just what I think of her."

White was on the point of carrying this
savage resolution into effect, when an un-
usual bustle in the entry caused him to
delay. He heard Lydia whisper "fath-
er's coming!" heard a parting kiss—the
front door opening and the next moment
Brown was thrust, unceremoniously into
the kitchen where he himself was con-
cealed.

If the reader imagines that the rivals,
on being shut up in the dark room togeth-
er, flew at each other like two hungry wild
beasts, I would beg to inform him that he
is very much mistaken. The rivals did
nothing of the sort as you shall see.

Brown heard a light footstep, and knew
White was in the room:

"My dear fellow," he whispered.

"What the deuce do you want," growled
the irritated White.

"What a rich joke! ha, ha!" laughed
Brown. "Lydia thinks she has been mak-
ing fools of us, but I believe we both un-
derstand her now perfectly."

"Little doubt about that," said White
bitterly.

"There's no use feeling sore about the
matter," said the philosophical Brown.

"Our acquaintance has commenced under
peculiar circumstances, and I think it our
duty to cultivate it. I overheard your
conversation with Lydia, looking through
the key hole, and as you witnessed my
interview with her just now, we are even
on that score. Give me your hand, and
let us be sworn friends in future."

"I'm proud to make your acquaint-
ance," said White much consoled by his
rival's philosophical harangue. "We are
quits as far as the joke is concerned, and
as for that girl—that heartless co-
quette—"

"We needn't quarrel about her," observ-
ed Brown, "for she is not worth a thought.
I wonder a man of your penetration never
saw what she was before."

"If so shrewd a man as you were de-
ceived," replied White, "what could he be
expected of me? But we both know her
better now, and we can whistle her off
without a pang."

"What a sensible fellow you are," ex-
claimed Brown; "what a pity it is, I never
made your acquaintance before."

The rivals shook hands, and then be-
came sworn friends on the spot.

Hearing Lydia's father talking very
loud to her in the parlor, they thought it
a good time to make their escape, and
glided out of the house unheard by ei-
ther the old gentleman or his daughter.
On the following day, as Lydia was
laughing heartily at her adventure of the
preceding night, a neatly folded billet was
brought her by the postman.

It proved, upon examination to be a let-
ter written jointly by Messrs White and
Brown, disclaiming all pretensions to her
fair self. It proved a salutary lesson to
her, for she quit her coquettish ways, and
settled down; and in a year afterwards,
married a respectable young farmer, and
sent to her old friends Brown and White
a polite and pressing invitation to attend
the wedding.

Seeing Through an Oculist.

Something of a farce was enacted at
the office of a famous physician of the
city, who owes a good deal to his reputa-
tion and cunning. A lady entered to
consult him upon an affection of his eyes.
Her sight was growing weak and dim,
and the organ was suffering constant weak-
ness.—The lady used excellent language,
dressed well, and bore every trace of high
life.

"It is serious, very serious, indeed," said
the M. C.

"Good gracious!" cried his patient in al-
arm.

"I can cure you, madam; but it will be
by a long course of treatment."

"What is the matter, doctor?"

"You are threatened with amaurosis."

The medical science has some names
that make one shake in his shoes; and the
lady did not understand this name, which
frightened her very much. "What
must I do?" she asked.

"You must place yourself under my
care. You reside in Paris?"

"Ah, no, sir. I came expressly to con-
sult you."

"I regret it, madam. The disease which
threatens you must be treated with ener-
gy, and makes it necessary that I should
see you almost every day."

"I must take apartments in Paris,
then?"

"I advise you to do so. Constant at-
tention will effect your cure, or I can prom-
ise you nothing."

The lady did as the physician recom-
mended, and engaged a splendid hotel in
the Chaussee d'Antin; for, as the oculist
had suspected, she was a lady of immense
fortune.

Quite a while elapsed during which the
physician spared neither remedies nor vis-
its. He was exceedingly attentive, and
constantly recommending a thousand lit-
tle prescriptions which he said would save
his patient's eyes. But weeks passed by
and then months and the much wished for
cure was still to come.

"When?" would the lady inquire.

"Very soon," the doctor would reply.—
"Wait a little longer, and he would place a
new pair of colored spectacles upon her
nose."

This treatment made the fair patient
grow nervous, and one fine morning an
idea popped into her head, and she for-
med a purpose which she resolved to car-
ry into effect without delay. She ex-
changed her head with a stocking bad black
bonnet; drew a dilapidated dress about her
flung a miserable shawl about her should-
ers; put old and clumsy shoes upon her
feet and with a faded umbrella in her
hand, started for her physician's office.—
She had been careful to conceal her dark
hair beneath bands of flaxen hair, and
her eyebrows, and keep her face half-
hidden within tufts of antiquated ribbons and
artificial in her bonnet. A lover's eyes
would have been deceived by the
change.

Thus accoutred, she went to the phy-
sician, who naturally enough let her wait
for her turn. When it arrived, she pass-
ed in his consultation room with trembling
steps, while her bended form and faded
garments bespoke her a quite poor old
woman.

"What is the matter my good woman?"
enquired the doctor.

"Sore eyes, doctor," she replied in a
shrill voice.

"Let us see," he exclaimed.

"Look," she said, approaching him bold-
ly, and thrusting her face into that of the
doctor, who never dreamt of seeing his rich
patient in such toggery. He examined
the eyes, and said—

"Go home, old mother. Nothing ails
you."

"What—nothing at all?" cried the la-
dy.

"Certainly not. Don't I know what I
say?" rejoined the physician pettishly.

"That's strange," was her observation;
"for some people told me of something like
a ham—hammer—"

"Amaurosis!" interrupted the M. D.

"That's it, she cried.

"Nonsense," he exclaimed. "Your eyes
are weak; That's all, and nothing can
help them."

"That ain't what my doctor says," she
observed.

"Your doctor's an ass, then," he declar-
ed impatiently.

"Well, sir," she rejoined in her nat-
ural voice: "you are that very doctor him-
self."

The chronicle of this Parisian episode
adds that the oculist had no more visits to
pay the lady, and she no bills for past at-
tendance.

Using a Whole Egg.

A friend told us an anecdote a few days
since illustrating the free and generous
character of the Irish, which is quite too
good to be lost, and accordingly give it to
our readers:

Our friend's wife being in delicate health
it was resolved that a girl should be pro-
cured to do the house-work, that the la-
dy might have an opportunity to recover
health and spirits.

After visiting an intelligence office two
or three mornings, a fine, buxom lass, of
about twenty-five years of age, "but six
months from swate Ireland," was selected,
and instructed as to the duties that would
be expected of her.

"Now then," said the lady, "pour the
ground coffee into the pot, then pour in
the hot water, and after a few minutes
boiling, put in one half of an egg, so,"
and the lady illustrated each description
by a demonstration. "You understand,
don't you?" says the lady.

"Indeed I do, mum," was the response:
"bile the coffee, grind in the water, and
dhrap in the half iv an egg. Isn't that it
mum?"

"All right," replied the lady. "Now
then, to-morrow morning we'll see how
well you remember it."

To-morrow came, and the coffee was
as good as could be expected. The third
morning came, and to the astonishment
of our friend and wife, the coffee was un-
drinkable and nauseating; the order was
sacking. Bridget was called and ques-
tioned as follows:

"Bridget, did you first put the ground
coffee in the pot?"

"Indeed I did, mum."

"Did you then pour in the water?"

"Shure I did."

"How long did you let them boil?"

"Five minutes, shure."

"What did you do then?"

"I put in the egg, mum."

"Just as I showed you the other morn-
ing?"

"Well, to tell the truth, mum," says
Bridget, giving her garment a hitch with
her brawny hand "to tell you the truth,
I'd ov put in the half of an egg as ye told
me, but the egg was a bad one, and I
thought you wouldn't mind keeping the
half ov it, so I droppod the critter in as it
wus!"

Intoxicated Monkey.

Jack, as he was called, seeing his mas-
ter and some companions drink, with those
imitative powers for which his species is
remarkable, finding a half glass of whisky
left, took it up and drank it off. It flew
of course, to his head. Amid their roars
and laughter, he began to skip, hop, and
dance. Jack was drunk. Next day when
they went, with the intention of repeat-
ing the fun, to take the poor monkey from
his box, he was not to be seen. Looking
inside, there he lay crouched up in one
corner. "Come out," said his master.—
Afraid to disobey, he came walking on
three legs—the fore paw was laid on his
forehead, saying, as plain as words could
be that he had a headache. Having left
him some days to get well, and resume
gaiety, they at length carried him off to
the old scene of revel. On entering the
eyed the glasses with manifest terror,
skulking behind the chairs; and on his
master ordering him to drink, he
bolted, and he was on the top of the
house in a twinkling. They called him down
He would not come. His master shook a
whip at him. Jack, astride the ridge
pole, grinning defiance. A gun, of which
he was always much afraid, was pointed
at this disciple of temperance; he ducked
his head, and slipped over to the back
of the house.—Two guns were now lev-
eled at him—one from each side of the
house—upon which seeing his predicam-
ent, less afraid of the fire than of fire-
water, the monkey leaped at one bound
on the chimney top, and getting down in-
to a flue, held on by his fore paws. He
would rather be signed than drunk. He
triumphed, and although his master kept
him for twelve years after that, he never
could persuade the monkey to taste an-
other drop of whiskey.

Dip the Atlantic dry with a tea-spoon;
twist your heel in the toe of your boot;
make postmasters perform their promise
and subscribers pay the printer; get as-
tride of a gossamer and chase a comet
when the rain is coming down like the cat-
aract of Niagara; remember where you left
your umbrella; choke a mosquito with a
brickbat; in short prove all things hither-
to considered impossible, but never at-
tempt to try to coax a woman to say she
will, when she has made up her mind to
say that she won't.

A fool may ask more questions in an
hour than a wise man can answer in seven
years.

An Apothecary in Salem has written
over his door.—All kinds of dying stuffs
sold here.

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Miscellaneous.

Anecdote of Washington.

One Reuben Rouzy, of Virginia, owed
the General one thousand pounds. While
President of the United States one of his
agents brought an action against the body
of the defendant, who was taken to jail.—
he had considerable landed estate, but
this kind of property can not be sold in
Virginia, unless at the discretion of the
owner. He had a large family, and for
the sake of his children preferred lying in
jail to selling his land. A friend hinted to
him, that probably Washington knew
nothing of the proceeding, and that it
would be well to send him a petition,
with a statement of the circumstances.—
He did so—at the very next post from
Philadelphia, after the arrival of his peti-
tion in that city, brought him an order
for his immediate release, together with
a full discharge, and a severe reprimand
to the agent for having acted in such a
manner. Poor Rouzy was consequently
restored to his family, who had never



Wednesday Morning, May 31, 1854.

We are authorized to announce FELIX JARBOE, as candidate for Sheriff of Marion County, at the ensuing August election; and if elected, JAS. S. GARTIN is to be his deputy.

We are authorized to announce GEORGE MITCHELL, as a candidate for Jailor of Marion County, at the ensuing August election.

We are authorized to announce JOHN HOSKINS, as a candidate for the office of Jailor at the ensuing August election.

We are authorized to announce JOHN M. JONES as a candidate for the office of Jailor of Marion county, at the ensuing August Election.

We are authorized to announce G. W. GOODRUM, as a candidate for Sheriff at the ensuing August election, and F. RAILEY, as his Deputy.

We are authorized to announce B. ABELL, as a candidate for the office of Assessor, at the ensuing August election.

We are authorized to announce GEORGE PENN as a candidate for Jailor of Marion County, at the ensuing August election.

We are authorized to announce ANTHONY WALSTON, as a candidate for the office of Assessor, for Marion co., at the ensuing August election.

We are authorized to announce HENRY H. HUGHES, as a candidate for the office of County Clerk at the ensuing August Election.

We have been unable to attend much to our editorial duties, this week, on account of having a large amount of out-door business to attend to. Our subscribers will please bear with us for a few weeks longer, and then we promise them some rich weekly dishes.

Having purchased a piece of property in the town of Lebanon, we may now be considered as a permanent citizen of the same, as long as we live, and perhaps longer. In these days of "spiritual manifestations" a man may be supposed to inhabit the scenes dear to him whilst in a tangible existence, after he is defunct. If we become a fixture, our little bantling, the Post becomes ditto. Therefore, if the people of this county, together with those of the adjoining counties, will give us half a chance—and we feel confident that they will, from present flattering demonstrations—then we can promise ourselves the pleasing anticipation of always having a few taters, to assist in prolonging our existence, and perhaps (although we don't allow ourselves to anticipate luxuries,) we may have some butter and salt to eat with them.

Whilst in this connection, we would most respectfully hint, not by way of a dun however, that if any one who is indebted to us, should happen to become suddenly wealthy, by the demise of a very dear relation, or, who, in digging about suddenly came upon a crock of gold, or, in a word, who has met with some unexpected good fortune—just remember us. We are now in need of every dime we can raise; and if any of our friends can assist us either by subscribing themselves or getting us subscribers, or throwing advertisements and job work in our way, we would be eternally grateful.

We are in reception of Graham's Magazine for June. It is as usual, an interesting number.

Friend Milligan has purchased the right to Everett's new improvement in the "perch pole" for carriages for this and surrounding counties. See advertisement in another column.

The great "total eclipse" turned out, in this section at least, not much of a show after all. We do not think that there was more than one half of old Sel's phiz-zimahogany obscured at any time, from the gaze of the countless numbers of weak-eyed humans who were peeping through smoked bits of window glass at him.

By a reference to Mr. Ben. Edmonds' advertisement it will be seen that he has determined not to sell ice on Sunday. Those of his customers who wish this pleasant luxury on that day are requested to call and procure it on Saturday.

On the night of 12th inst., the store house of Mr. E. Mile ham, in Flat Rock in Bourbon county, was destroyed by fire with the entire stock of goods. The loss was covered by insurance.

Rain Reigning.

Nothing but rain. On last Saturday evening, there appeared in this section, one of the heaviest rains, perhaps, we have ever witnessed. The streams in this neighborhood, were swollen immensely, and done a very large amount of damage to the fencing, crops and soil. Even our own "Jourdan" got into high tantrums because of the rain, and fretted, and fumed, and roared in its narrow channel like a miniature river, its muddy waters carrying away fencing, rails and everything portable which happened to lay in its turbulent way.

We understand that Cartwright's creek was fuller than it has been for a long number of years, the memory of the "oldest inhabitant" cannot recall when it was ever so high by three or four feet, as it was on Saturday last. Great destruction was consequently done in that section of this and our sister county of Washington. The "fills" and "causways" on the turnpikes, leading from this place, likewise have suffered extensive damages. To sum up in a word, we presume that never before has such wholesale destruction visited the thrifty and enterprising farmers of this, one of the fairest counties in the State. We are, however, in hopes, that the damage may prove to have been exaggerated, as such things are more than likely to be.

On the next day, (Sunday,) it also rained very hard, but not near so much water fell as upon the day previous. And even whilst we are indicting this, the clouds hang like a dense pall, from horizon to horizon; as dark as the face of an enraged Ethiop.—That means a mad nigger.—Again we say rain reigns.

VINUM GALICIS OPTIMUM.—On one of the sultry evenings last week, three well dressed grammatically spoken young men were assailing the discomforts of a "counter irritation" by means of an internal application of bruised lemon and moistened mint. After the sixth julep, the trio started out for a walk, which was prolonged till the clock struck 12, by which all had become dry—very dry. What was to be done? The restaurants where drinks permitted by the new law might be had, were all closed; there was no friend's house at which they could gracefully "call" at that hour. Me—, a young physician, conceived an idea; he took his memorandum, made for the nearest gas light, and succeeding in writing the following prescription, which a comrade soon had put up at the drug store on the corner.

Vinum Galicis Optimum 10 oz., to be taken every five minutes.

The uninitiated will know how to call for the best of French brandy.

How to ENLARGE VEGETABLES.—A vast increase of food may be obtained by managing judiciously and systematically—carrying out for a time the principals of increase. Take, for instance, a pea—plant it in a very rich ground; allow it to bear the first year say a half a dozen pods only; save the largest the following year; and retain of the produce three pods only, again select the largest, and the next year the sort will by this time have trebled its size and weight. Ever afterwards sow the largest seed, and by these means you will get peas or any thing else, of a bulk of which we at present have no conception.

FIGHT WITH INDIANS.—We are favored with intelligence from Corpus Christi to the 10 inst., from which we learn particulars of a fight that took place on the previous day between a small detachment of the United States troops and a body of Indians four times their number.

Lieut. Cosby, we learn, with ten men & one sergeant, attacked forty Indians, who had been committing depredation in the vicinity, and whom the troops were there pursuing. The Indians turned on the troops with great fierceness and fought hard, but four of them were soon killed, five were wounded, and the whole body shortly afterwards completely routed.—The gallant little band suffered considerably. One, a brave fellow, Sergeant Byrne being killed, and Lieut. Cosby himself, and several others being wounded, besides whom two others are missing. All the plunder of the Indians, however, with all their spare horses and equipments, and their bows and arrows were captured.

Lieut. Cosby was brought into Corpus Christi on the morning of the 10th inst., in a wagon. His recovery is confidently expected. He was struck in the groin by an arrow, which fortunately hit a \$20 gold piece which he had laid in his pocket-book in his pantaloons pocket. When he was brought in, the arrow head was found doubled up in his pocket-book.—The nature of his wounds is not explained but they are said not to be such as seriously to threaten his life.—N. O. Picayune, 22d inst.

DEDICATION.—The Roman Catholic Church lately built on Thirteenth street was yesterday dedicated to the service of Almighty God, under the name and invocation of the patron Saint of Ireland St. Patrick. After the ceremony of dedication, the holy Sacrifice of the Mass was offered up, at the conclusion of which Rt. Rev. Bishop Spalding addressed the assembled congregation in an impressive manner upon a subject pertinent to the occasion, and concluded by exhorting them to be faithful Christians, good citizens, and worthy followers of their illustrious namesake.—Louisville Democrat May the 29.

TELEGRAPHIC.

Reported for the Louisville Courier.



ARRIVAL OF THE AMERICA.

The Russian account of the storming of Odessa is as follows:

March 25th, the British steamer Furious approached Odessa and fired two guns without balls. She was ordered to stop, and sent boats ashore with a flag of truce, which was respected, and the boat landed. It was sent back to the Furious with the information that the British Consul had left. The Furious again approached as if to survey, when the batteries fired seven shot on the Furious, and not on the truce boat.

On the second of April three of the allied steamers came to Odessa and demanded satisfaction. The Russian commander expressed his surprise in writing, that the allies should imagine the Russians fired at the flag of truce, and explained the facts and refused to deliver up the shipping in the harbor as demanded—hence the bombardment.

It is reported that the allies abandoned the intention of attacking Sebastopol for the present.

Additional California News.

The steamer Sonora brought to Panama Valparaiso dates of April 29th, and Australia 1 March 3d.

The political news is unimportant. Advice from the gold district of Australia are cheering.

At Melbourne the gold market was active and prices firm. Advice from Oregon state that Maj. C. Larned, U. S. A., had been drowned in Rugets Sound together with eight men.

A British war steamer had appeared off Sebastopol and threw in a few bombs, but were not answered.

A few ships would remain cruising before that port—the remainder of the fleet had sailed, some of the European and others of the Asiatic coasts of the Baltic.

Napiers fleet had been reinforced and sailed on the 5th of May, supposed for the Gulf of Funland.

There is no reliable news from the armies on the Danube.

The Russians will not evacuate Greater Wallachia.

Paskiewitch will defend Bucharest at any cost.

The Russians are preparing to attack Silistria by water.

The Russians are posting 70,000 men on the frontiers of Thessaly.

Admiral Dundas official account of the bombardment of Odessa.

Numerous troops are fitting out at Liverpool.

France has a camp of 50,100 men at St. Omers, which is said to be destined for Finland, to cooperate with Sweden to be conveyed at the expense of England.

It is reported at Paris that the Emperor has written to King Otho, of Greece commanding him to desist from aiding the Russians, and threatening to occupy Greece with French troops.

If this summons is not immediately attended to, 12,000 men are already detailed for that service.

Austria also threatens Greece.

GREMANY.—The Rothschilds are attempting to raise a loan for Austria at 75 1/2 per centum.

The Prussian General, Walbuge, has been appointed Minister of War.

A sensation at Berlin was caused by the rumored dissensions between the King and Prince of Prussia concerning the war.

The Prince favored an alliance with England and France.

Commercial advices from St. Petersburg of May 2d, report and Nera full of floating ice.

The blockade of Greece by the allies, is officially announced.

From Athens, under date of the 2d of May, it is reported that the Chambers were dissolved.

Russian agents are busy exciting discontent in Caudil.

The Shah of Persia and King of Bakora concluded a treaty offensive and defensive.

Persia has declared against Russia.

Hong Kong dates are to the 25th of March.

The imperial forces have been defeated.

MAIL ROBBERY.—We learned some time since, that the Mailbag containing the Mail from this city to Louisville of the 27th ult. was taken from the stage somewhere near bell's stand; on the Bowling Green route.

We were requested to forbear mentioning the fact at the time, as it was thought a clue had been obtained to the identity and whereabouts of the robbers. The mail was a valuable one, containing large remittances from brokers and others in this city in money, drafts, &c. We are happy to be able to state now that the missing mail-bag has been recovered with the most valuable portion of its contents.—Three persons have been arrested as the robbers, and it is thought the entire mail will be recovered. To-morrow we shall probably be able to give more full and interesting particulars.—Nashville Union, 23d.

Awful Murder in Anderson County.

We hear various accounts of the horrible murder, perpetrated near Lawrenceburg, in Anderson county, of Mrs. McBrayer, wife of Jas. McBrayer, Esq., and daughter of Thos. Bond, of this place. It seems from a summary of the reports, that some time between nine and eleven o'clock night before last, after Mrs. McBrayer had retired to rest, a man entered their room with an axe, and approaching the bed passed his hand over her face, in order to be sure of the right one, which awoke her. Being satisfied that it was her, he commenced cutting with his axe, first striking her breast and arms in many places, he then with several strokes severed one of his legs entirely off. Mr. McBrayer being awakened by the noise, reached out his hand to protect his wife and received a blow cutting his hand into. The incarnate friend thinking he had killed her, commenced striking about at random over the bed, with the bellish intention to kill their youngest child, who was in bed with them, but not finding him, he went to the lounge in the room where slept their oldest child and aiming to blow at its head, but only only cutting the back of its neck. He then went out leaving the axe at the door. Mrs. McBrayer had life enough to tell who, as well as she could see, in the darkness, had committed the horrible deed. From her statement her step son has been arrested and put in jail to await his trial. If these representations are correct it is one of the most brutal murders that has ever fallen to our lot to record.

BOLD BANK BOBBERY IN CLEVELAND.

A telegraphic dispatch states that forty-five hundred dollars in Bank notes was taken from the counter of the Canal Bank, in Cleveland on Wednesday afternoon.—The money is about one third Canal notes some Stark Bank, Vermont, Westfield, Mass., New Haven City Bank, Conn., F. and M. Bank Hartford Mercantile Hartford, new notes, with blue letter "O" on the right end, and mixture of Akron Branch with two Wheeling Bank notes, of Virginia, some new fives and tens Canal. The dispatch is signed by Mr. Bishop, the Vice President.

A MYSTERY SOLVED.—Quite an excitement occurred during the past week at Altoona, Pa., from strange noises having been heard in a graveyard, leading to the supposition that a lady who had recently been interred had come to life after burial.

Several persons heard noises from the grave, and a crowd assembling, it was deemed proper to disinter the coffin.—On reaching the rough wooden case enveloping the coffin, it was found to contain water, which had filtered into it from the surrounding earth, and it became apparent that the noise heard had proceeded from the action of the water causing the coffin to rub against the case. An effort had been made to exclude the crowd from the burial ground, but the excitement becoming very intense at the moment the coffin was reached, they broke down the fence and rushed in. The evidences of decomposition that reached their elacatories on opening the coffin, satisfied the curious bystanders that life had been extinct before the interment.

AN ELOPEMENT.—A Mrs. Davidson, residing a few miles from Lawrenceburg, Ky., left her home on Saturday night, in company with a married man—who was also her brother-in-law. The guilty woman not only abandoned him to whom she had pledged vows of fidelity at the marriage altar, but also deserted two helpless children one of them not a year old.—Mr. D. was awakened about twelve o'clock on the night in question, by the cough of his youngest child, and then discovered that his wife had disappeared. The next still warm, but the bird had taken flight. Upon going to the door, he observed his wife and her paramour a short distance from the house and at first determined to shoot them but, on reflection, concluded to let them escape unharmd. The aggravated feature of the case, however, and that which affected the forsaken husband more than the loss of his frail partner, was, that the man (whose name was not given) had borrowed money of him on Saturday morning, which was doubtless used in carrying off his wife.—The runaway also took with them a fine horse, valued at \$150, a gold watch, and other articles of value.

ROMANCE LIFE.—The Baton Rouge Advocate brings the light the following romantic changes of fortune in the life of a widow of the burg:

Years ago there lived in our city a family by the name of —, consisting of husband, wife, and several children. The husband left home one day to go on a distant journey. He did not return at the appointed time—years elapsed and still no tidings came of the absent husband & father. Fourteen years passed away, and the woman married again. Her second died, and she was again left in destitution and misery, and depended upon for support. About a year since, she left Baton Rouge for Lake Providence where she now resides. A few days since the brother of her first husband came to search her out, with the agreeable intelligence that she was a rich widow. Her first husband was killed in Texas, and she is the lawful heir of a property worth \$30,000. Who wants to write the history of a rich widow Baton Rouge?

They have a very unfortunate doctor up in Cincinnati—one Dr. Webber. Last week he administered a dose of nuxvomica to a child, producing its immediate death. On Wednesday he prescribed for a lady and she died in a few moments after taking the medicine.

—The Lexington Statesman states that holders were asking \$8 for hemp, but it has heard of no sale at the figure for several days, and the tendency is downward. It is quoted at Maysville at \$7; and for extra \$7 50a\$8.

CARRIAGES.

I WOULD most respectfully inform the citizens of Marion and neighboring counties, that in addition to the stock of Carriages now finished and ready for sale, that I will manufacture to order and keep on hand Carriages of the latest styles and improvements, warrant for one year and kept in repair on the most reasonable terms until worn out.

And, that having purchased the full and exclusive right to E. & C. Everett's Patent coupling for carriages, for the counties of Marion, Washington, Green, Larue and Adair, that I will manufacture with that evident improvement, warranting that no man can turn a carriage of any kind whatever, and can turn in a space four feet less than the vehicle and horse can stand in, for the same price as other carriages.

The carriage cannot be turned over by turning, baulking or side jumps, no matter how quickly done; and cannot be backed down a precipice, as long as you hold one rein; as by pulling you can keep the horse constantly turning in a small space.

Repairing neatly done in all its parts.—Second hand carriages taken in trade, and always for sale.

may 21 3t P. F. MILLIGAN.

THE Partnership of Murphy, Blincoe & Lewis, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. F. G. Murphy and Wm. F. Lewis are responsible for all debts and liabilities of the concern, and alone authorized to settle up our business.

F. G. MURPHY, C. C. BLINCOE, WM. F. LEWIS, may 9 1854.

MILL CREEK MILLS.

THE undersigned have formed a partnership, and will carry on the MILL CREEK MILLS, which go by steam or water, under the name and style of Lewis and Murphy.

We grind for the eighth, and do custom work Tuesdays and Fridays. Lots of twenty-five bushels, and upwards, promptly attended to at any time. We can conveniently grind Thirty Bushels of Wheat and the Flour, per hour.

WM. F. LEWIS, F. G. MURPHY, may 31 3w, Bardstown Herald, \$2 50

NOTICE.

TAKEN UP by the subscriber, living nine miles from Lebanon, on the Elizabethtown road, a BAY MARE, 2 years old this last Spring. Said mare has been appraised at one hundred dollars.

J. S. MEDLEY, may 31 1t

ICE! AND LIME TOO!!

THE Subscriber would respectfully inform the citizens of Lebanon and the public in general that he has the above articles to sell, of the best quality, on the most reasonable terms.

N. B. My lime is in the rock, burnt in a pit; and is therefore inferior to none.

Ice may be procured at the Ice House, every morning by sun-up, and at the store at any time during the day, SUNDAYS excepted.

May 24, 3m. B. EDMONDS.

STATE OF KENTUCKY,

Marion Circuit. } Set. March Term 1854.

Geo. A. Bright's Adm. Ph against

Geo. A. Bright's Creditors &c. def. } On p

ORDERED by the Court that all persons having claims against the estate of Geo. A. Bright, decd., produce and prove the same at the Clerk's office of the Marion Circuit Court, before the undersigned Commissioner, before the 1st day of the next June Term.

may 6 t W. S. KNOTT, M. Com.

WOOL CARDING!

HAVING purchased the Carding Machine of F. S. Rale, & Co., on Pleasant Run, I am now fitting it up with new Cards &c., and will be ready by the 20th of May, to commence carding. It is my purpose to card by horse-power for a few weeks, or until my steam mill is ready. Having, by general consent, one of the best Carding Machines in the State, and an experienced and reliable young man engaged to attend it, I feel warranted in promising entire satisfaction to all who may favor me with their patronage. Bring your wool free from burrs and other impurities, and I will warrant you good rolls.

May 3m J. P. BARBOUR

NOTICE.

ALL those indebted to me, by note or account, are requested to call in and settle the same, by cash, as I want to close my old books, and more particularly I need the money.

Please attend to this request, or I will for you.

May 3t J. R. KNOTT.

JEWELRY. DUNCAN & STOY.

LEBANON, KY.

HAVING just received a splendid stock of JEWELRY, of the latest and most fashionable pattern and of the best quality, would respectfully call the attention of the public generally to their store, at the corner of Republican and Main streets, near the Court House. They have also on hand a fine lot of

Gold and Silver Watches.

Which they will sell at the lowest cash price. In a word, their stock contains every article which is usually found in a Jewelry store, even in a city. Our prices are such as to please our customers; as we purchased our articles in the East, and consequently can and will sell them as low as they can be bought in the West.

Watches and Clocks are repaired and warranted.

April 26t. DUNCAN & STOY.

NEW GOODS. REMOVAL.

THE Undersigned having just removed to their New Store Room, adjoining J. W. Chandler & Co., Where they are now receiving a new stock of

SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS!

Their friends and the public generally, are requested to call and examine them before purchasing elsewhere. They have also, and will keep constantly on hand, an assortment of

GROCERIES!

All kinds of produce taken in exchange for goods.

ABELL WIMSATT, & Co. apr 1 1854, 1t

New Advertisements.

NEW ARRIVAL OF SPRING & SUMMER DRY GOODS.

J. B. WATHEN & CO.

ANNOUNCE to their friends and the public generally, that their stock of

FANCY AND STAPLE DRY GOODS.

Is completed in all their relative departments and presents specimens of new styles and originality of design, which, for beauty and excellence will, upon inspection, be found to merit an extensive sale. The following goods, comprise in part, our present varied and chaste assortment:

Berage De Laines, Plain all wool do.

" Silk Shawls, Figured do,

Printed Lawns, Dotted Swiss, Gingham, Lustrés,

Bl'k and fancy brocade Silks, Plain, figured, and taffeta, do,

Bl'k Tusk, Satin De Chine, French worked Collars,

Flouncing, Chemisettes and sleeves, A large lot of superior silk, straw & braid Bonnets,

Super bl'k & fancy French Cloths, " " Casimeres,

" " " Drab De Ta, " Satin, silk, plush, velvet & cashmere Vestings,

Bl'k and fancy Cravats, Together with a full assortment of

READY MADE CLOTHING.

With a full assortment of Gloves, Hosiery, Jaconets, Muslins, Linnens, Table Diapers, Towels, Bl'k Laces, bl'k and fancy Fringes, Dress Trimmings, Insertings Edgings.

Also Groceries, Hardware, Queensware Cutlery, Boots Shoes &c. In any of the above articles, our stock will be found large and complete.

apr. 12 t J. B. WATHEN & CO.

NEW ASSORTMENT OF SPRING and SUMMER DRY GOODS!!!

THE Subscribers have received and opened their Spring and Summer Stock of Staple and FANCY DRY GOODS, consisting in Ladies' Dress Goods, of all description, suitable for the Spring and Summer seasons.—Gentlemen's wear of the latest and most fashionable patterns; Domestic, Hardware and Cutlery, Queen's Ware, and a superior assortment of Ladies', Gentlemen's, and Children's Boots and Shoes.

Ladies' Bonnets of the latest and most improved style. Also—a general assortment of Groceries, all of which we will sell low for cash, or to particular dealers on the usual time.

We have a large, new, and well selected stock of Books and plain and fancy Stationary. N. B. Country Produce of all kinds received in exchange for goods.

Apr. 12 1854t. J. W. CHANDLER & CO.

NEW Spring & Summer DRY GOODS.

THE UNDERSIGNED having entered into Copartnership in the Mercantile Business, in the town of Lebanon; would respectfully inform their friends and the public generally, that they have just received and opened a large and well selected stock of

DRY GOODS:

Direct from the Atlantic Cities. Their stock consists in Ladies' Dress Goods of the finest and most modern styles, Gentlemen's Wear, such as Cloths, Casimeres, Vestings, &c., Boots, Shoes, &c., &c.

The Senior Partner will keep constantly on hand, a full assortment of Ready made Clothing; which he will cut and have made in, and especially for this market. Having been engaged in that business all his life, and being well known in this country, it is unnecessary to say anything farther on this part of the business.

We invite our friends and acquaintances to call and examine our stock and prices before purchasing elsewhere, as we intend selling our goods as low as they can be bought in the West. Our stock is very extensive, and we cannot fail to suit our customers.

Our stand is now at the old stand of J. R. Knott, but as soon as our new store is finished, we may be found in the stand formerly occupied by Messrs. Abell, Wimsatt, & Co., next door to Messrs. L. A. Spalding & Co.

New Spring & Summer DRY GOODS. REMOVAL.

THE Undersigned having removed to the stand formerly occupied by C. & H. Beler next door to L. A. Spalding & Co., takes this method of informing his old customers, friends, and the public generally, where to find him. He would also say, that he has just received, direct from the East, one of the finest and best selected stocks of

Fancy and Staple Dry Goods,

Ever before brought to this market. In his store may be found all of the different varieties of goods usually kept in a store.

apr. 12, 3m E. P. MAHON.

READ YE ALL! AND BE CONVINCED.

I FEEL Confident that a reasonable people cannot fail to see the necessity, propriety, and consistency of the following Regulations: I will wait on the community, on Sundays, one hour (from 9 until 10 o'clock) before public Service; and one hour after. And it is desirable that all persons wishing to mail letters, should have them in the office before the arrival of the mails, otherwise, I cannot get that repose necessary to promote and sustain health. But I wish all to know, and feel confident, that I will at any time mail a letter of importance, if I can do so consistent with the duties of the office.

apr 12 1m. H. L. MUDD, P. M.

ONE CENT REWARD.

THOMAS CRAVEN an indentured apprentice to me to learn the Tailoring Business, ran away in February last. The above reward, and no thanks will be given for his safe delivery to me in the town of Lebanon.

apr 12 2t J. HANNING.



Wednesday Morning, May 31, 1854

Rags! Rags! Rags!!!
Clean Linnen and Cotton Rags wanted at this office. The highest price in CASH will be paid for any amount brought.

Notice.

All personal communications to this paper will be hereafter charged as advertisements, and must be paid for, before they can appear. This rule will be adhered to strictly.

Wanted, Immediately.—A young lad, of from 12 to 15 years of age, to learn the *printing business*. A boy of good moral character, of a sprightly intellect, who can come well recommended, can have a chance to obtain a good and lucrative trade.

—The Ohio and Mississippi Railroad Company have disposed of their 2000 mortgage bonds in New York. This will enable them to complete their great work.

—In Maryland the "fly" is ravaging to the tobacco crop in different portions of the state and already is said, that serious damage has been done.

SERIOUS ACCIDENT ON THE LEXINGTON RACE.—On Monday, the first day of the Association Races in the vicinity of Lexington quite an unfortunate accident occurred, by which the lives of two riders are now in great danger. It appears that just as the horses started, one stumbling, and falling threw his rider; immediately afterwards, the second horse stumbled upon the one already down, and likewise threw his rider, injuring the two youths in a terrible manner. Indeed to such extent that their lives are despaired of.

—On Saturday night last, two of the inmates of the Covington jail set fire to the building. Fortunately the keeper was alarmed by the smoke, and succeeded in extinguishing the flames before any material injury had been done.

The New York Tribune of 16th, inst., says that 7,000 live hogs were then in market, and not demand enough for one seventh of that number. That paper says, "The market was never more overstocked. We heard to-day of an Ohio drover who had made up his accounts on 400 head, and finds himself \$700 out of pocket."

—This project is now on foot, among a number of wealthy gentlemen of Cincinnati to raise a fund \$50,000 to purchase one hundred acres of land near the city, for the purpose of a park or garden land to be laid off in carriage drives and a house be erected upon the place for the reception of visitors. The plan proposed is to raise a list of one hundred stock holders, at \$500 per share, and we understand that nearly forty subscribers have already been obtained.

WHIPPING AN EDITOR.—We understand says the Cincinnati Commercial of the 27th, that Mr. Bailey, the editor of the Newport and Covington news, was on Thursday morning assaulted and severely beaten, while in the office, by a man named Jones, who took umbrage at certain remarks made by Mr. Bailey in his editorial capacity. It is proper to remark that Mr. Bailey is an old man, weak and sickly, while Jones is young and athletic. It is understood the case will be taken into Civil Court.—*Lou D.m.*

INDIAN, MURDERS AND OUTRAGES.—A government train of fourteen wagons was attacked by the Indians, near El Paso, on the second inst., and six men were killed and scalped. The remainder succeeded in making their escape.

One hundred mules were stolen from the wagons, and goods to the value of \$30,000 were destroyed. The commanding officer at Fort Ewell immediately sent out five different parties of riflemen. The wagons belonging to Major Chapman's train. There was great excitement, and the citizens were calling on the Governor to order out volunteers.

SILVER COINS.—The New Three Cent Pieces.—The United States Mint has issued new silver coins—three cent pieces—which are very elegantly executed. On one side there is a great improvement in the engraving of the star, and of the words "United States of America," with which it is surrounded. On the reverse, the figure "III" is now surrounded with stars and oak leaves and a bundle of arrows.—This coin is more pure silver, and was issued at the same time as the three dollar gold pieces.

The great railroad farbuene will come off at Cynthiana on Thursday, the 8th day of June next. There will be an immense concourse of people present no doubt.

A remarkable instance of accumulative misfortune is noticed in the Norwich (Connecticut) Courier. The clothes of a little girl four years old, daughter of John Barry, of that town, caught fire a few days since, and in a moment she was enveloped in flames. In her fright she ran out of doors to her father, who was at work near the house, the wind blowing a gale at the time. The mother followed, and in her efforts to extinguish the fire, it communicated to her garments, and finally to those of her sister, who had also flown to the assistance of the child. Mr. Barry now found three of his household in flames, and immediately got them back to the house, out of the wind. The little girl was burnt so that she died in a short time; Mrs. Barry and her sister were badly burnt, but are expected to recover; both of Mr. Barry's hands were burnt black in his efforts to subdue the flames, and a small boy, younger than the girl, suffered shockingly in his hands by his efforts to assist.

THE ICE IN THE ATLANTIC.—A number of old ship masters, passengers in the steamship Cleopatra at Portland from Liverpool, have made a statement that they have never seen such quantities of heavy ice, nor so firm, or of such extent, as during the last few days' passage of that vessel. She sailed a distance of three hundred and sixty miles around the edges of solid ice.—*Nat. Intel.*

The cars of the Covington and Lexington railroad are now making regular daily trips between Covington and Cynthiana. Two daily lines of stage coaches run from Paris to Cynthiana, and connect with the cars; so that passengers can now make the trip from Lexington to Covington or Cincinnati, by railroad, with the exception of the gap, by stage-coach, between Paris and Cynthiana. This gap is only about thirteen miles in length, and the railroad company have a heavy force upon it, and will have it completed at an early day.—The trip from Lexington to Covington may be made, we suppose in 8 or 9 hours.—*Ky. Statesman, 27th.*

JUST RECEIVED.
A Large and Splendid Assortment of
SPRING and SUMMER DRY GOODS.

L. A. SPALDING & CO.,

TAKE this method of informing their friends, and the public generally, that they are now in possession of one of the largest stock of goods ever brought to this market. We would invite an examination of our goods and prices, and feel confident that we will not fail to please the customer in both. Our stock consists in

All the varieties of Ladies' wear, such as Silks, Merinos, DeLaines, Cashmiers, Prints, &c., &c.

Also, every variety of Gentlemen's goods, such as Cloths, Cassimeres, Sateen vestings, Tailors' Trimmings, together with a large stock of

READY MADE CLOTHING.
All of which we offer upon the most reasonable terms. Give us a call before filling out your bills.

N. B. We take, as usual, all kinds of country produce in exchange for goods, at the market price. *Apr 12th*

LIST of letters remaining in the Post Office at Lebanon on the 31st day of March 1854; and if not taken out within three months, will be sent to the general Post Office, as dead letters.

A. Abell Jno. A. Avery Thomas, Abell Mrs. Cornelius.

B. Beam Letty, Bland V., Burns A. Brown Miss E. Brown Samuel, Beam, Jno. R. Bucknold, Brown Rev. W. S. B. Bone A. B. Beam his heirs or administrators. Burns E. Brent Robert Blow Miss M. Bell Lawrence.

C. Cook Mrs. Lucinda, Chandler R. W. 2, Crisp Madison, Clk. of Marion Cir. Court, 3, Carter Jno. Cotter B. V. Coppage Isaac, Craig John, Cecil Jno. H. 2, Cecil Miss A. M., Caldwell Miss M.

D. Doyle Mrs. M., Deaver James, 5. Everheast D.

F. Foreman Dr. W., Flanagan C. G.

G. Gray A. Grate C. Green H., German J. G. 2, Green Thomas, Green Anson, Graham Jno.

H. Hughes Barnett, Huffman I. E. 9, Harlan John A., Hantley Mr., Hutchins Rev. J. B., Hargrove Susan, Howell Mrs., Head Govey, Hite C. C., Hamilton Miss Kate.

I. Jones Isaac, Jarboe Miss Eliza, Jarboe M. Kimberlin J. F., Kaske Miss K., Kilger Jas. M.

L. Litter Miss D., Lowe Miss L., Luckert Mrs. E. C., Luckett L. R., Logan Robert 2, Lodge Salem No. 42, Landrum J. P., Lanum Wm., Lanum Thos., Levanon and Springfield T. P. Co., Lebanon Ky.

M. Miles Miss Precillar, Mattingly J. I., Mattingly John, McElroy Wm., Marlburn Mrs. Clay 3, Moore & Knott, McCain Wm. L., Meger F. B. 2, Muldrow Dr. E., Mackin Thos., Mackenzie J., Milburn F. Murry C., Mattingly G., Milburn Alonzo, Moore Wm. H., Mudd Andrew.

N. Napier Miss B.

O. O'Brien A., Obenheimer & Lewis Obenheimer M.

P. Penn George, Purdy Paris, Peterson Samuel, Purdy Presley, Payne David 2, Proctor W. J., Powell Rev. Mr., Purdy E. C. 4, Purdy R. C., Purdy J. I., Purdy Stephen, Paris O., Penick B. N. 5, Payne Robin.

R. Riley Fanny, Rineheart Eliz., Ridge Isaac, Russell I., Ray S. T., Rodman David, Russell Miss Jane, Robinson B., Reed J. P. 5.

Special Notices.

Dr. Geohegan's Hydropiper.
Is prepared by a regular Physician, and is of purely Vegetable ingredients, the names of which accompany each bottle. It is a pleasant, safe and certain cure for diseases of women. For Kidney Affections, Impurities of the Blood, diseases of the Skin, Dyspepsia and Scrofula it has never had an equal. It is a slight stimulant, and a powerful tonic and alterative. See advertisement.

NOTICE.
THE SUBSCRIBERS to the building of the New Presbyterian Church are hereby notified that the first payment due by said subscribers was due on the first of last January, and is NOW DUEED immediate payment to the Treasurer, D. W. Phillips, is earnestly solicited. *A. K. YOUNG.*
By order of the building Com. *Mar. 8 3d*

B. Edmonds & Son, Wholesale and Retail.
Dealers and Manufacturers of Ladies', Gentlemen's and Children's Shoes and Boots.

LEBANON, KY.
H. HAVE now on hand a large and general assortment of BOOTS and SHOES of every variety.
The followers of St. Crispian can be supplied with all kinds of Findings of the best quality at a very small advance upon Louisville prices. Call and see us; it gives us pleasure to have our friends call.
March 8, 1854

NEGROES WANTED.
I WISH to purchase a few likely young Negroes of both Sex; for which I will pay the highest price in CASH. Address *WM. MATTINGLY, Bardstown, Ky.*
June 22d

DR. GEOHEGAN'S EXTRACT OF HYDROPIPER,
For Dyspepsia, Scrofula, and all impurities of the blood.

Prepared by one of the Faculty.
THIS vegetable remedy which is now spreading to all parts of the country, is prepared by a graduate of one of the first Medical Schools in the west; a physician of high standing in his profession, and as much opposed to empiricism or quackery as any one can be, as is shown by the fact that the recipe is published, and accompanies each bottle of the medicine; thus exonerating it from the charge of being a nostrum.

It is prescribed by Physicians, as will be seen by reference to the Circular and by the accompanying certificate.
Unlike Sarsaparilla the Hydropiper is quick in its action, the first bottle irregularities and wonderful results, as in the case of the negro girl of Mrs. Simmon's, of Louisville, who was relieved of

Blindness in One Week!!
In short, it has excited the wonder and admiration of all who have used it, and wherever known stands at the head of all remedies for the following diseases:
Dyspepsia, Scrofula, White Swelling, Mesenteric Diseases or Negro Consumption, Scarcure, Chronic Rheumatism, Gout, Neuralgia, Sore, Ulcers, and all Cutaneous or Skin Diseases, all female irregularities and obstructions, Mercurial Diseases, Secondary Syphilis, General Debility, and all disorders arising from impure blood and bad Habit of System.

For Female Complaints
this remedy stands unrivaled. Its effects are wonderful. It is a slight stimulant and a powerful tonic and alterative.
As a beautifier of the complexion, in the cure of pimples and blotches, in producing a clear and beautiful skin, it is much more safe and sure remedy than all the cosmetics and lotions in existence. Try it and you will never regret it. Do not lose confidence if it should seem at first to increase the disease—the general effect of the medicine being to drive all impurities to the surface, and by that means out of the system.

HARDENSBURG, Ky., Oct. 6, 1851.
Dr. A. E. Geohegan—Dear Sir: I have examined your receipt for Compound Fluid Extract of Hydropiper, for the cure of Scrofula in all its forms, and other chronic affections, viz Rheumatism, Female Weakness, &c. Having prescribed, and watched its effects in many cases of the above diseases, and having always found it effectual, I most cheerfully recommend it to the afflicted as the best alternative and tonic I have ever used; altogether superior to Sarsaparilla, and any of its compounds.

T. N. WARFIELD, M.D.
Price, \$1 per bottle, or 6 bottles for \$5, when taken at one time.
RAYMOND & PATTEN,
Sole Agent, No. 75 Fourth Street, Louisville, Ky.
To whom all orders should be addressed.
Sold by L. H. NOBLE, Lebanon, and John Stark and Bentley & Cornick, Springfield, Ky.



Sign and House Painting.
THE undersigned having permanently located in Lebanon, would respectfully solicit the patronage of the public in my line. Signs or Houses painted in the neatest possible manner on the shortest notice. I am prepared to furnish all the materials for painting but prefer the employer to do it.
4a 2 3m
I. F. TIMMONS
SAMUEL CARPENTER, JR.
SAMUEL CARPENTER & SON, ATTORNEYS AT LAW
Bardstown, Ky.

WILL practice in Nelson, and the surrounding Counties, and the Court of Appeals. All business entrusted to their care, will be promptly attended to.
Sept. 28 3m.

TOOLSCAP PAPER, of the very best quality, on hand and for sale, at the Printing Office.
May 5, 1854

House and Sign PAINTING.

THE UNDERSIGNED, having entered into copartnership, in the Painting business, and permanently located themselves in Lebanon; and most respectfully tender their services to the citizens of Lebanon and Marion county generally. We are prepared to do House Painting, Sign Painting and Imitations of Woods, Marbles, &c., in a neat and workman-like manner, in the quickest manner possible, and upon the most reasonable terms; in a word, we will warrant our work to be done in such a style and dispatch as to please our employers.
MUSSELMAN & SPALDING.
Mar. 15th

CHEAP CLOTHING AT THE LEBANON Clothing Store!!!

THE Subscriber having opened a Clothing and Furnishing Store in Lebanon (next door to Mr. Noble's Drug Store,) will keep a general assortment of
READY-MADE CLOTHING!
made up in the most permanent and fashionable manner. Any Goods sold by me will be warranted as such; and I guarantee to sell my Goods cheaper than ever such goods have been offered to the Public before. My facilities are such that I will always keep up my Stock of the Newest Goods of the season. My motto is "Quick Sales and Small Profits."
CALL AND BE CONVINCED.
My stock consists in part as follows:—Superfine black dress coats; Superfine Frock coats; Blue, Brown, Olive &c. coats, Blanket and Pilot Cloth coats; Fine black doekskin Pantaloons, Fancy, checked and plain Pantaloons, Jeans Tweeds &c. Pantaloons; Black and Fancy Satin Vests; Shirts, handkerchiefs, gloves, socks, drawers, fancy stocks, ornate ties, capes, bags, Umbrellas, India rubber over-coats, overalls, over-shoes &c., &c.
Also a variety of boy's over-coats.
R. LANCASTER.

TAILORING!
THE Undersigned, having this day entered into copartnership under the name and style of Warren & McDonough, will now carry on the
TAILORING BUSINESS.
In all its branches. We have purchased the shop formerly occupied by Mr. John Hanning; and we hope the old customers of the former incumbent will continue their patronage to the shop, and all new customers will be thankfully received.
The junior partner, P. McDonough—has but recently arrived from New York, where he has engaged at his business for several years past. He has also been engaged in some of the principal cities in Europe, and feels himself competent to give entire satisfaction in his cutting and fitting.
WM. WARREN & P. McDONOUGH.
November 1, 1853 6m.

SELBY HOUSE, LEBANON, KY.
The Misses Selby

HAVING lately purchased the Tavern stand formerly occupied by Mr. J. A. HALL, take this method of informing their old friends and the public generally that they are now prepared to receive boarders, by the day, week or month. The house has been thoroughly refitted and re-furnished with the most costly and neat furniture.
Those who stop with them may be assured that no pains will be spared to make them comfortable. The Stables of the establishment will always be supplied by the best of provider and attentive hostlers.

The above stand is on the North East corner of 1st and Main Streets, to the left as you enter the street coming from Springfield.
Jan. 12, 1853 10f.

3,000 POUNDS of clean Linnen and Cotton RAGS wanted at the Printing Office, for which the highest price in CASH will be paid.
May 5th

SERVANTS WANTED.
I WISH to buy or hire a likely Boy and Girl, from 16 to 24 years of age; suitable for a Hotel; for which I will pay the highest price in cash. Persons having such, would do well to call and see me at the Lebanon Hotel.
J. H. KIRK.
July 13 1853 10f

A FINE LOT OF VISITING and BUSINESS CARDS, on hand and for sale at the Printing Office.
May 5, 1854

JOSEPH HASKINS, ATTORNEY AT LAW.
WILL practice regularly in the Circuit Courts of Mercer, Washington, Marion, and perhaps Anderson; keeping an office at each Court House. Also, in the Court of Appeals and Federal Court at Frankfort. Business confided to his care will receive the most prompt and punctual attention. Orders left for him at Harrodsburg with Messrs. Tenth T. or John P. Haggins, or Poston and Trammell—at Springfield and Lebanon at the Circuit Clerk's office, will receive due attention—His residence is, as it has been for many years, at Harrodsburg,
may 4th



Carriages! Carriages!!
THE Undersigned, would respectfully announce to the citizens of Lebanon and Marion County, in general; that having served his time in New York, and worked in several of the Eastern Cities, as a carriage-body maker, thereby acquiring a perfect command of his business; that I will manufacture
TO ORDER,
And keep constantly on hand,
Coaches, Carriages, Barouches, Rock-aways, Pleatons and Buggies;
Of the latest Eastern Styles; made of the best materials and finished with good taste. All of which I will warrant for one year, and sell at fair prices.
I am prepared to build Omnibusses of any size, to suit purchasers.
Carriage repairing neatly done, in all its parts.
Shop on Main Street, near the Lebanon Hotel.
Oct 5y
P. F. MILLIGAN.

Notice.
ALL those indebted to me by account would do well to come forward and settle the same, by cash or note; or they will find their accounts in the hands of an officer, for collection, as I am determined to close up all of my old business.
J. A. HALL.
Nov. 16 18

PROTECTION Insurance COMPANY
(Fire, Marine and Inland)

OF
HARTFORD, CONN.
Incorporated 1825.
BOARD OF DIRECTORS.
A. G. HAZARD, C. H. NORTHAM, E. SEELEA, W. THRAILL,
JNO. WARBURTON, W. KELLOGG, W. B. ROBBINS, E. HILLS,
D. W. CLARK, L. HOMFIREY, T. BELKNAP, W. A. WARD,
WM. ISHAM, H. BELDEN, D. CLARK, WM. WILLIAMS,
WM. CONNER, Sec'y. D. W. CLARK, President.

The attention of property holders is respectfully called to the superior advantages for FIRE, MARINE and INLAND INSURANCE, offered by the
PROTECTION INSURANCE CO.
The undersigned has been furnished with blank policies, signed by the officers of the Company; also with blank renewal receipts, for continuing policies already issued, and is duly authorized and prepared, as agent of said Company, to make insurance for any period of time, not less than one month nor greater than seven years, upon buildings or their contents, occupied as Dwellings, Stores, Warehouses, Churches, Hotels, Banks, Court Houses, Colleges, &c., &c., and their contents against

LOSS OR DAMAGE BY FIRE.
Also, on Dry Goods, Groceries, Manufactured Goods, Produce, Household Furniture, Live Stock, and every other description of Merchandise and Personal Property, shipped or to be shipped per good Steamboat or boats, to and from points on the Western Waters, or between Eastern Cities (via Lakes or other inland routes) and any town in the Western country, against the hazards of

Inland Transportation.
Also, on Shipments of Goods, Wares and Merchandise, per good vessel or vessels between New Orleans and Eastern ports—between New Orleans and other Gulf ports—between all American ports and English or European ports, or to any other maritime port whatsoever in the Atlantic waters, against the

Perils of the Seas.
At Rates of Premium as Low as any Responsible Institution.
The attention of Merchants is especially requested to the superior advantages and convenience of insurance at home, under an "Open Policy," covering shipments by specific endorsement, or under a "Contract Policy," covering all shipments whatever during any agreed period it may concern. Losses promptly adjusted under the supervision of the undersigned local Agent, and payable in bank funds, on the spot, or if desired, at New York, Boston, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Charleston, New Orleans, St. Louis, Louisville, Pittsburgh, or any other agreed point in the United States.
For further information respecting rates of premium, etc., apply to the undersigned.
L. H. NOBLE, Agent for Lebanon and Marion county.

WINCHESTER'S KENTUCKY LINIMENT!

WHILE the market is filled with RIVAL LINIMENTS, and the manufacturers of each are bragging and puffing their own articles to the skies as a certain cure for every ill that flesh is heir to, and decrying all others as base imitations or impositions, the proprietor of the
KENTUCKY LINIMENT
Presents his preparation to the public, not as a cure-all, but as a well tried and valuable remedy entirely different in its composition and much superior to any other in all cases where a Liniment is required.

FOR MAN OR BEAST
It is equally useful, and in particular it is excels every other in its prompt action and superior cleansing properties, in removing all scales.

HEALTHY CONDITION AND SPEEDY CURE!!!
Sprains, Cuts, Sore-Throat Burns, Scalds, and all similar complaints, it cures like magic, and it is particularly RECOMMENDED TO THE LADIES, as being—unlike any other Liniment—perfectly free from oil, grease, tar, or anything that soils or stains. In particular its freedom from grease makes it far preferable on the score of neatness, as an application to the human skin.
Price 25 cents per bottle. For sale by L. H. NOBLE, Lebanon, Ky., and the principle Druggists and Dealers throughout the country.
April 13 1853-10f.

R. R. R. REMEDIES.

Radway's Ready Relief, Radway's Renovating Resolvent, Radway's Ready Regulators.
The use of which will in all cases, INSTANTLY STOP PAIN, QUICKLY CURE DISEASES AND ALWAYS PREVENT SICKNESS.
No pain or sickness, or disease, or unhealthy matter will remain in or affect the system while it is under the influence of R. R. R. REMEDIES.
RADWAY'S READY RELIEF, INTERNALLY AND EXTERNALLY EXTERNAL PAINS.
The moment it is applied Externally it stops all Pain. IT CURES

Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Lumbago, The Dolorous, Gout, Sprains and Strains, Paralysis, Distorted Limbs, Sick Headache, Painful Swellings, Cramps and Sprains, IN A FEW HOURS. INTERNAL PAINS.

A few drops of Radway's Ready Relief, taken internally, will stop the most distressing pains Diarrhoea, Cholera Morbus, Dysentery, instantly soothe, arrest and allay the most violent Colic, Spasms, and Convulsions.
R. R. RELIEF.
The very moment it is applied it stops pain, arrests disease and removes its cause.
R. R. RELIEF.
Cripples Leap for Joy!!!

The aged, the infirm, and the crippled, instantly feel the effects of Radway's Ready Relief: it rejuvenates old age, renders the stiff jointed supple and active, infuses life and strength in the sore, weak and disabled limbs, removes all pain and soreness from the joints and muscles, a strengthens and makes sound and whole, the weak infirm and crippled.
R. R. RELIEF.
Cough cured in Five Minutes.

Radway's Ready Relief, cured a gentleman in five minutes, of a severe fit of coughing. The gentleman had not slept for two nights; it was applied Externally and Internally.
R. R. RELIEF.
Rheumatism!

An aged gentleman was troubled with Rheumatism for six years. Sometimes his feet would swell to three times their natural size he suffered the most excruciating pains. He was relieved from pain in Five Minutes after using R. R. Relief. He has not been troubled since.

A CARD.
We guarantee that in ninety-nine cases out of one hundred, Radway's Ready Relief will do all that is here set down. One trial will prove its efficacy. The moment it is applied it arrests the progress of disease, and instantly allays irritation.
R. R. R. is sold for 25 cents per bottle, and 50 cents and \$1 per bottle.
Genuine Relief.
Each bottle to be Genuine must bear the facsimile signature of RADWAY & CO.
On the Label, and the letters
Blown in the Glass.
Sold by L. H. NOBLE, Lebanon Ky., and JOHN STARK, Springfield, Ky.

East Call.
ALL those indebted to the undersigned, will please call immediately, and settle the same by cash or note, as I must, positively settle up my business.
J. A. HALL.
Nov. 16 18

GROCERIES, Low for Cash.
THE undersigned having opened a NEW FAMILY GROCERY, in the stand formerly occupied by Mr. Elder, and now by the Post Office, takes this method of soliciting public patronage.
He will keep on hand a full supply of Groceries, together with confectionaries. All kinds. Those who wish to purchase would do well to give me a call.
J. A. HALL.
Dec. 15, 1852-10f.

More Pages Yet to Come

Scissoring.

The Largest Sheep in the World.

Mr. Francis J. Gray, of this county, has presented us with specimens of wool. Mr. Gray has been engaged in raising sheep about five years, and, we doubt not, is among the most successful in Kentucky; and has never failed to take the premium wherever shown. Some of the specimens shown us of his wool are seventeen inches long—the finest quality measures five inches. His imported buck, two years old, sheared 12lbs. 3 oz. wool; and a ewe that sheared 18lbs. He has a Kentucky raised buck that weighs about 300, and measures around the girth 5 feet 2 inches, fresh shorn. The last named buck took the first premium at the Paris Fair last fall.—*Cynthiana News.*

Schenck in the Mystery.

Every one who has heard Robt. C. Schenck speak for the first time, in a case in which his feelings are deeply interested, knows what a vivid impression his withering sarcasm and impassioned manner is calculated to produce upon one unaccustomed to listen to animated debate.

An unsophisticated Methodist farmer who lived in a distant portion of the county, whose business seldom called him to court, accidentally heard that Schenck was appointed Minister to Brazil, a country in South America. The term minister and preacher of the gospel, was inseparably associated to his mind, and he took it for granted that Schenck had turned a preacher, and had been sent off on a divine mission. With that impression he went home.

"Wife," said he, "what do you think I heard at Dayton to-day? The wicked little white headed lawyer you have heard me speak of so often, has been converted and turned a preacher and has been sent as a missionary to a heathen nation away down in South America. If the devil ever met with his match, I guess he has got it now! for if grace don't change him too much, he will give the old reprobate no rest for the sole of his foot until he leaves this country."

A Board.—"What is a board, Ike?" "A board is a piece of wood that is not a plank, nor a baulk, nor a clip, nor a scantlin."

"What is a board, Jim?" "A board, sir, is a parcel of men what don't know one house from another, and an they goes round, making marks in his books, and chalking down money for poor folks to fork over to the tax collector."

"What is a board, Tom?" "A board is a set of fellows what drinks rum and takes ten dollars from every man what sells rum, so that they can pay their own rum bills."

"What is a board, Tom?" "A board is a body of individuals who are the nicest sort of folks before election but after election they get the swells, a very common disease on the western continent. The swells operates on the intestinal canals of the pericranium, and frequently enlarges the thorax. It inflates the epidermis of caputitons, integuments and greatly obelutiferates the muscus membrane of the mouth and lips. Thus it operates on the imagination, and they talk about things they don't understand and make laws of which they are entirely ignorant. This disease engenders another, called the flats or pancakes, which always terminates fatally and generally before the time of office expires."

You have given me the definition of five Boards. You are all right, and can now have a recess of fifteen minutes.—*Williamsburg Press.*

A Good Hit.—Certain members of Congress having declared themselves in favor of raising the rates of postage, on the ground that the Post Office Department now cost more than it produces, the Memphis Eagle and Enquirer states that Congress costs the people a round sum every year, and wonders if some plan might not be discovered by which it could be made to pay expenses.

PACKED BACK.—Several of the Americans who lately left Paris for the East, with the intention of joining the army of Omar Pacha, have returned, after a short stay at Constantinople. They found it impossible to get Omar Pacha's camp, and such general disorganization reigned throughout the country, that it was extremely hazardous to attempt any traveling. Messrs. Greene and Quincy Shaw, of Boston, are among the returned adventurers.

Said once a purse-proud rich man, just getting into his carriage, with his wife and daughters flaunting in velvet furs, to a poor laborer, who was shoveling coal into his vault.

"Joe if you had not drank rum, might have been riding in my carriage for nothing else could have prevented a man of your education and opportunities for making money."

"True enough," was the reply, and if you had not sold rum and tempted me and others to drink and become drunkards, you might have been my driver, for rum-selling was the only business by which you ever made a dollar in your life!"

The report that a schoolmaster chastised a boy with a railroad switch is doubted by some.

"I am a straight forward man," as the toper said when he pitched into the gutter and nothing else!"

There is nothing half so sweet in life as love's young dream—sucking molasses through a clean straw alone accepted.

Northern New York Live Stock Ins. Co.

OF PLATTSBURG, NEW YORK.
Capital—\$50,000.
Incorporated by the Legislature of the State of New York, July, 1851.

Horses, Cattle, and all kinds of Live Stock, insured against Death, by the combined risks of Fire, Water Diseases, &c. Stock transported by Water, Railroad, or driven on foot to market, insured at fair rates. The subscriber having been appointed Agent of the above reliable and perfectly solvent Company, is prepared to issue Policies at as low rates of premium as any responsible Company in the United States. He respectfully invites the attention of Livestock Keepers, Cattlemen, Farmers, and all others interested. R. S. PETERS, Agent. Lebanon, Ky., Aug. 25, 1852.

LEBANON HOTEL.

J. H. KIRK, PROPRIETOR.
WOULD respectfully announce to the Traveling Public, that he has just finished in a fine manner his Tavern Stand in Lebanon, where he will at all times be happy to entertain his friends and the public generally, and will spare no pains to make them comfortable when they put up with him. His table is always supplied with the best of Liquors, Cigars, &c., and his stable with the best provider, and attentive grooms.
Buggies and horses always on hand to hire by the day or week. Horses kept by the day, week, or month, at very reasonable rates.
Fine Horses for sale at all times.
May 5, tr J. H. KIRK.

PROSPECTUS

OF ST. MARY'S COLLEGE.

NEAR LEBANON, MARION CO., KY.
This Literary Institution, founded in 1851, by the late Rev. WILLIAM BYRNE, and subsequently conducted for many years by the Jesuits, is now under the superintendence of the Right Rev. Bishop of Louisville, who will always take means to provide a suitable Faculty for carrying it on with a view to promote the greatest public good. Under the auspices of its previous conductors, the Institution has been instrumental in widely diffusing the blessings of a religious education throughout Kentucky and the adjoining States.—The steadiness of its patronage has been a constant evidence of the public approval. The beauty and salubrity of the situation, as well as the spaciousness and commodiousness of the College Buildings, are generally known. It will be the constant aim of the Faculty to adopt, so far as practicable, the plan which it was so well and so usefully conducted by its enlightened and benevolent Founder.

TERMS PER SESSION.

[INvariably in Advance.]
Board, including Washing, Mending, Shirts and Socks after washing, Fuel and Lights, together with Tuition in Orthography, Reading, Writing, English Grammar, Geography, and Arithmetic, \$42
Board, &c., (as above,) with Tuition in U.S. Globes, Algebra, Geometry, Surveying, Book-keeping, History, Rhetoric and Botany, or either of these branches, 47 00
Board, &c., (as above,) with Tuition in the Classics, Higher Mathematics and Philosophy, or either of them, 50 00
Tuition in French, (Extra,) 3 00
Bed and Bedding, when furnished, 5 00
Stationery, [Pens, Ink and Paper,] when furnished, 2 50
Physician's Fee and Medicines, per Session, 1 50
Books, and other necessary articles are furnished by the Agent of the College, at current retail prices;
For those who remain at the College during the vacations, there will be an additional charge for Board of 10 00
Music, per session, 10 00

Scott's Weekly Paper.

The Publishers of this large and popular Family Journal offers for the coming year, (1854) a combination of Literary attractions heretofore unattempted by any of the Philadelphia Weeklies. Among the new features will be a new and brilliant series of Original Romances by George Lippard, entitled "Legends of the Last Century." All who have read Mr. Lippard's celebrated Legends of the American Revolution published for fifty-six consecutive weeks in the *Saturday Courier*, will find these pictures of French and American History endowed with all the power and brilliancy of his previous productions. The first of a series of Original Novellettes, called "Morris Hartley," or the Knights of the Mystic Valley, by Harrison W. Ainsworth, is about to be commenced. It will be handsomely illustrated with 12 fine engravings, and its startling incidents cannot fail to elicit undivided praise. *Emmerson Bennett*, the distinguished Novelist, the favorite of the West, and the author of some of the finest productions ever read, is also engaged to furnish a brilliant Novellette to follow the above. Mrs. Mary Andrews Denison, author of Home Pictures, Patience Worthington and her Grandmother, &c., will contribute a splendid Domestic Novellette, entitled the "Old Ivy Grove," and H. C. Watson an illustrated Story called the "Two Edged Knife"—a graphic picture of Early Life in Old Kentucky. To these will be added Original Contributions and selections from Mrs. Caroline Lee Hentz, Clara Clairville, Lillie Liborne, Grace Greenwood, and other distinguished writers; the news of the day, graphic editorials, full reports of the provision, money, and stock markets, letters from travelers at home and abroad, &c., &c.

TERMS.—One copy, one year, \$2; two copies, one year, \$3. four copies one year, \$5; nine copies, one year, and one to the getter-up of the club, \$10; twenty copies, one year, and one to the getter up of the club, \$20. Address, A. SCOTT, Publisher, No. 111, Chestnut Street, Philadelphia.

A FINE LOT OF NOTE PAPER just received and for sale, at the Printing office, May 5, tr

SPRING AND SUMMER

STYLE OF HATS AND CAPS!!

My facilities for the purchasing of materials, and the manufacturing to order of SUPERIOR HATS, are not excelled in the Western Country.
I have on hand, and am constantly manufacturing to order

Black and White Beaver,

Natria, Brush, Russia and Otter Hats, &c. Also the Spring style of Hats from the most celebrated houses in the city of New York. Together with a large assortment of Brown California, black and white Buena Vista and Wool Hats.

Mens' and Youths' Panama Hats.
" " Double and single brim
" " Legroom.
" " Pedal Straw Hats.
" " Palm Leaf do

Infants' fancy Summer " " do
Ladies' Tiding Hats, of the latest New York and Parisian Styles
Kossuth Hats, &c., &c.

The above goods will be found equal in quality, and fully as LOW in PRICE as the same article can be bought for in Louisville or any other city market.

The Patrons of the house, and the public at large, are particularly invited to call and examine the assortment.

Of Hats of any particular shape made to order at short notice.

LEONARD EDELEN
Lebanon, May 5.

THE BRITISH PERIODICALS.

AND THE FARMER'S GUIDE.
LEONARD SCOTT & CO.,
No. 54 Gold street, New York.

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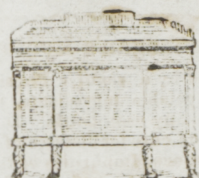
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